



Luke 18: 18 – 30 Revised Standard Version (RSV)

¹⁸ And a ruler asked him, "Good Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" ¹⁹ And Jesus said to him, "Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. ²⁰ You know the commandments: 'Do not commit adultery, Do not kill, Do not steal, Do not bear false witness, Honor your father and mother.'" ²¹ And he said, "All these I have observed from my youth." ²² And when Jesus heard it, he said to him, "One thing you still lack. Sell all that you have and distribute to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow me." ²³ But when he heard this he became sad, for he was very rich. ²⁴ Jesus looking at him said, "How hard it is for those who have riches to enter the kingdom of God! ²⁵ For it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God." ²⁶ Those who heard it said, "Then who can be saved?" ²⁷ But he said, "What is impossible with men is possible with God." ²⁸ And Peter said, "Lo, we have left our homes and followed you." ²⁹ And he said to them, "Truly, I say to you, there is no man who has left house or wife or brothers or parents or children, for the sake of the kingdom of God, ³⁰ who will not receive manifold more in this time, and in the age to come eternal life."



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JULY 4, 2021

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

GREEN

8:30 & 11:00 AM TRADITIONAL SERVICE

INDEPENDENCE DAY

PRELUDE	<i>"America the Beautiful"</i>	Susan Soehner
ANNOUNCEMENTS		
CONGREGATIONAL CALL TO WORSHIP	<i>"America"</i>	UMH 697 vv. 1 & 2
OPENING HYMN	<i>"America the Beautiful"</i>	UMH 696
ANTHEM	<i>"The Battle Hymn of the Republic"</i> 11:00 AM <i>"God Calls to You America"</i>	UMH 717 (all verses) Green Volunteer Choir
SCRIPTURE LESSON	Luke 18: 18 - 30	Rev. Russell Freeman
SERMON	"Our Sacred Honor"	Rev. Russell Freeman
HYMN OF INVITATION	<i>"Have Thine Own Way"</i>	UMH 382
OFFERTORY PRAYER OFFERTORY DOXOLOGY	<i>"Star Spangled Banner"</i>	Susan Soehner
PRAYER LORD'S PRAYER		Rev. Emily Kirby
CLOSING HYMN	<i>"Where He Leads Me"</i>	UMH 338
THE APOSTLES' CREED		UMH 881
GLORIA PATRI		UMH 70
BENEDICTION		Rev. Emily Kirby
CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE TO THE BENEDICTION	<i>"America"</i>	UMH 697 vv. 3 & 4
POSTLUDE		Sally Koontz

Kelly Campman
Music Director

Susan Soehner
Pianist/Choir Accompanist

Sally Koontz
Organist

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below:
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alle-lu- - ia!

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;
the third day he rose from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.

In Person Church Guidelines
Updated

The Health and Wellness team in the church has begun 3 foot social distancing in both the Sanctuary & Life Center. You will not be required to wear a face mask but you will be asked about vaccination(s). We are not asking for proof or paperwork. We will take your word.

Dear LRUMC Friends and Family,

We serve an awesome God and our church is full of wonderful prayer warriors. I don't have enough words to thank you for all the cards, texts, emails and calls. You have made this cancer journey easier. Now for a brief update: On June 17th I was cancer free post bronchoscope. I was overwhelmed, to say the least, with relief. In my mind it was a miracle. Then on June 22nd my surgeon called and told me the pathology report noted one-in-site area of cancer. He will be consulting with his colleagues next week to make a decision about the course of treatment. Again, I am asking for prayers. Thanks, Ann Compton

Cereal & Powdered Milk Sunday is next week, July 4. Please bring your donations of cereal, powdered milk or other items to the church at this time for North Strand Helping Hand. Other items can be canned meats, pasta, and peanut butter. These donations will be picked up on Monday and taken to NSHH for low income families in the area. Thank you!

DHEC will be giving free Moderna vaccination shots at LRUMC on Tuesday, July 6 from 10:00 – 2:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Anyone who lives in N.C. or S.C. can be vaccinated without having an ID. The second shot will be given on Tuesday, August 3 at the same location. Everyone is encouraged to be vaccinated if you have not received your shot/shots.

Rummage Sale Collections Begin Saturdays
Starting Saturday, July 10 from 9 to 11:00 AM

No exceptions regarding times and days! ALL furniture will have to be delivered. NO pick up. We are *tentatively* going to have the rummage sale Friday, October 15 and Saturday October 16. **NOTE: DO NOT** drop off items at the church at any other date or time. **No clothes or linens** will be accepted.

New Members Sunday will be held at LRUMC on **July 11** at all services. If you are interested in joining the church you can pick up a membership form at the information table in the narthex or Life Center and complete the form. You can drop off during the week at the church office.

The American Red Cross will hold a Blood Drive at LRUMC on Monday, July 12 from 1:00 – 6:00 PM in the Life Center.

Church Council will meet on Monday, July 19 at 7:00 PM in Room 120.



Have a safe and Happy July 4th holiday.
God bless America.

THIS WEEK AT LRUMC

Sunday, July 4

8:30 Traditional Service in Person
9:00 Little River Kids Ministry - Streaming on Facebook & in Person
9:00 Youth Class
9:30 Contemporary Service in Person
9:30 Pairs & Spares Bible Study, Room 120
11:00 Traditional Service in Person

Monday, July 5

10:00 Dignity Ministry, Life Center
Church Office Closed for holiday

Tuesday, July 6

11:00 Bible Study, Rev. Emily Kirby
6:30 River Praise Band Practice

Wednesday, July 7

10:00 Overeaters Anonymous, Room 120
6:30 Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary

Thursday, July 8

10:00 Dignity Ministry

Friday, July 9

5:00 Shepherd's Table Dinner, Food Pick up only

Our Presence on June 27, 2021

In Person Worship Returning from Covid-19 Church Closing.

8:30 AM 86
9:30 AM 124
11:00 AM 73
Worship Total: **283**

OUR PRAYERS

Charlie Angelini, Wayne Baker, Carol Bailey, Hilda Barnes, Joyce Ann Bolig, Bette Bosworth, Wayne Booth, Bruce Boulineau, Margaret Brainard, Ray Brick, Helena Burkey, JoAnne Carrison, Charles Cathcart, Rick Clayton, Bonnie Clore, Ron Colyer, Ann & Ed Compton, George Clark, Teresa & Bud Cox, Fred Crum, Crystal Damron, Pat Deen, Kathy Devine, Carroll Edwards, Leon Fithian, Steve Garner, Betty Guildo, Josh Hancock, Caroline Hester, June Humphreys, Bonnie & Jake Kanoy, Julia Kenney, Hap LaBonge, Bill & Linda Lesler, Bill Lesnick, Jack Loftis, Judy Mattson, Family of Jeannette McFee, Frankie Melvin, Don & Joyce Miller, Estelle Minicozzi, Mike Mitchell, Lorraine Martin, Jerry Neuss, Frank Palaia, Family of Alan Paynter, Gary Perkins, Priscilla Rivera, Calvin Saunders, Lucille Schultz, Kathy Shipman, Pearle Thompson, Jerry & Barbara Titshaw, Diana Troutt, Gail Tuttle, Jim Weeks, Robert Witt, Bonnie Woods

*** Medical Support personnel, First Responders and ALL Essential Workers that are protecting and serving us during this time of need.*

***All military especially those in harm's way.*